



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	James A. Davis)	Group Art No.: 2136
Application No:	09/915,179)	Examiner: Moise, Emmanuel Lionel
Filed:	07/25/2001)	Re: Office Action Response
For: "Fault Tolerant Magnetoresistive....")	Our Ref: B-4258 618972-1
)	Date: July 26, 2004

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

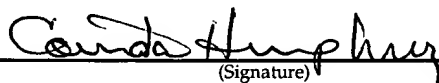
Sir:

1. This is a Petition for an extension by one month of the time to respond to the Office Action mailed on March 26, 2004
2. Applicant is not a small entity.
3. Attached is a check in the sum of \$110.00. Charge to Deposit Account 12-0415 any additional fee required or credit for any excess paid.
4. A Response to the Official Action is filed concurrently with this Petition.
5. A duplicate of this Petition is attached.

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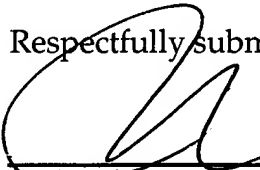
July 26, 2004
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Respectfully submitted,


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